

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL, GAS, AND MINING
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
in and for the STATE OF UTAH

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPROVAL OF THE)
NOTICE OF INTENT AND RECLAMATION PLAN)
SUBMITTED BY ADAMS MINING COMPANY,)
BROWN MOUNTAIN MINE, EMERY COUNTY,)
UTAH.)

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
No. ACT-015-007

THE STATE OF UTAH TO ALL PERSONS, MINERAL AND ROYALTY OWNERS, AND
PARTICULARLY ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN TOWNSHIP 20 SOUTH, RANGE 8 EAST, SLBM,
EMERY COUNTY, UTAH.

Notice is hereby given that tentative approval was given on August 13,
1976, by the Utah Division of Oil, Gas, and Mining, to Adams Mining Company,
P.O. Box 969, Moab, Utah, to conduct surface uranium mining on claims located
on Section 13, Township 20 South, Range 8 East, SLBM, Emery County, Utah. The
person representing the company in this matter is Mr. James Halamandaris, P.O.
Box 22111 - A.M.F., Salt Lake City, Utah 84122. The proposed mine is named the
Brown Mountain Mine.

Adams Mining Company has fulfilled obligations under the Mined Land
Reclamation Act of 1975 (Sec. 40-8, U.C.A. 1953) and will employ the following
reclamation techniques on approximately 20 acres of surface area which comprises
the land affected:

During Operations:

1. Surficial soil, to the extent present, will be removed from the area to be mined and stockpiled for later use.
2. Country rock overburden will be removed and stockpiled.
3. Ore will be ripped, removed, and stockpiled in a designated area in preparation for shipment from the mine by truck.
4. Mining will be conducted in a safe, orderly, and minerlike manner.

Following Operations:

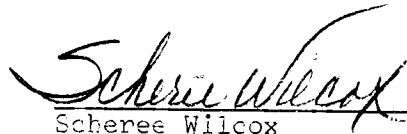
1. Country waste rock will be relocated to the mined area and graded.
2. Previously stockpiled surficial soils will be graded over the country rock.
3. Stabilization of the regraded waste rock will be performed through terracing and grading to slopes of less than 100 percent (45 degrees).
4. Trial revegetation of the regraded waste rock and stockpile areas will be actively pursued with specified plant species.
5. Successful revegetation procedures will be used in final stabilization of the waste rock and stockpile areas.
6. Debris, scrap material and unusable buildings will be buried or removed from the mine area to a landfill.

Reclamation performance surety will be established upon final approval of the reclamation plan.

Any person or agency aggrieved by this tentative decision is hereby requested to submit written protest within 30 days of August 26, 1976, to the Division of Oil, Gas, and Mining, 1588 West North Temple, Salt Lake City, Utah, 84116, setting forth factual reasons for his complaint, and thereafter at a time and place heretobe established, appear before the Board of Oil, Gas, and Mining, to show cause, if any there be, why this plan should not be approved.

DATED this 16th day of August, 1976.

STATE OF UTAH
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
BOARD OF OIL, GAS, AND MINING


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